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CINCPAC FOR POLAD

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, BG
SUBJECT: TROUBLE IN BANGLADESH MILITARY

1. WHILE FACTS ABOUT CURRENT SITUATION STILL SCARCE, SIGNS OF UNREST EVIDENT. MILITARY AIRCRAFT ARE IN THE AIR; ONE MIG HAS BEEN MAKING PASSES OVER BANGABHABAN (PRESIDENTIAL PALACE 500 YARDS FROM EMBASSY) AND A HELICOPTER WITH ROCKET PODS HAS FOLLOWED COURSE. RADIO BANGLADESH IS SILENT, IN CONTRAST WITH AUGUST 15. POLICE HEADQUARTERS HAS TAKEN PRECAUTION OF SURROUNDING ITSELF WITH UNUSUAL NUMBER OF GUARDS.

2. ONE USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE HAS INFORMED POLITICAL COUNSELOR INDIRECTLY THAT BRIGADIER KHALID MOSHARRAF, CHIEF OF GENERAL STAFF, IS INVOLVED IN THE PRESENT EXERCISE.

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3. MISSION HAS PUT ITS EMERGENCY PLAN INTO OPERATION,

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AND ALL AMERICANS -- OFFICIAL AND OTHERWISE -- HAVE BEEN ADVISED
TO REMAIN AT HOME.
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